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*Oporto, March* 13.

THE Master of a Portugueſe Ship lying in the Port of Vigo, has written the following Letter to one of his Owners here.

*Vigo, March* 10. I have uſed great Diligence to diſcover the true Reaſon of imbargoing our Ship, which I find is this; there are two Men of War at Corunna lading warlike Stores, and two Perſons of Diſtinction were come from Madrid, (one of them ſaid to be the late Duke of Ormond,) who lodge a League from the City to be the more private: They were expecting ſome Men of War and above 50 Tranſports from Cadiz, with Soldiers and Stores, and at Corunna were a conſiderable Number of Engliſh, Iriſh and Spaniſh Officers who are to imbark on the ſaid Ships: Their Deſign is thought to be to make a Deſcent on ſome Part of Great-Britain or Ireland, and, what makes me judge this very probable is, that an Order is come for an Iriſh Pilot married in this Place, and for the Conſul who is alſo an Iriſh Man, to repair immediately to Corunna and to imbark on the ſaid Ships; and becauſe no Notice ſhould be given to the Engliſh in Portugal, this Imbargo is laid. This I thought proper to acquaint you with, that you might know the true Reaſon of our Detention.

*Berne, March* 29. Upon Complaints made lately to the two Cantons of Zurich and Berne by the Abbot of St. Gall on one Side, and his Subjects of both Religions in the County of Tockenburg on the other, upon ſome new Differences ariſen between them, the ſaid two Cantons have written to both Parties to exhort them to a Pacification, by ſending them the Explanations they deſired upon certain Points in the laſt Treaty of Baden, which not being ſo clear as was to be wiſhed, have given Riſe to this Diſpute. The Sovereign Council here goes on with their Deliberations upon the Means for the further preventing the carrying the Money out of the Country; for that End they have made ſeveral Projects for eſtabliſhing divers Sorts of Manufactures in this Canton, and a Committee has been appointed to inquire whether it be poſſible to plant in their Territories Tobacco, a Commodity very much coveted by the Peaſants, and the ſaid Committee has already ſent for People from foreign Parts to make Trial here of ſuch Plantations. Advices from Florence of the 17th Inſtant give an Account, that the Marqueſs Octaviano de Medicis, who hitherto had kept incognito in the Kingdom of Naples, pretended to get himſelf acknowledged lawfully a Deſcendant of the Family of the Grand Duke of Tuſcany; and that he was to go to Rome, to ſollicit this Matter, and to publiſh Memorials to that Purpoſe.

*Copenhagen, April* 1. We have Advice from Flaſtrand, that Major-General Arnold was arrived there from Norway: We expect from him an Account of what has paſſed in that Country within theſe eight Weeks, during which Time the Poſts have been hindred from coming by the Ice. The Collonels Baſſewitz and Lewenohm are gone over the Sound: The former has written a Letter from Helſingbourg, adviſing that he had found there two Majors, who were ordered one to accompany him and the other Collonel Lewenohm, till they arrive at Stockholm. Rear-Admiral Tordenſchiold will ſpeedily put to Sea with four Men of War, and three Frigates from 30 to 36 Guns: This Squadron is to cruize in the Baltick, and obſerve the Motions of the Swedes